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From the President's Desk

IPCA Juggernaut is Moving

The last few months have all been about raising the standards of our own excellence, going beyond just being relevant and boring and leading the motivated team to become foresighted and relentless. We have had a series of innovative ideas getting executed and we are constantly reinventing and challenging ourselves.

A lot of personal sacrifices from our team, at the centre and perhaps more so in our dynamic regions has resulted in a new, fresh, aspirational and a go-getter of an organisation. One that wont stop at average success, because now its driven by passion for the collective glory of our IPCA. Mediocracy is not what this team accepts. They want to create an Impact. And I am proud to lead them into the jungle.

I don't want to list down our achievements and success anecdotes as yet. Its perhaps too early and perhaps the best is yet to come.

I would like to thank our Immediate Past President Mr. Sanjeev Gupta and our Hon. Gen. Secretary Mr. Rohan Bhasin, who is The Editor of IPCA Journal as well, for being at the helms, for execution of every lofty dream we had. Amongst them, the concept of a Mega KSS was a dream shared with a few Junooni guys in Maharashtra. I am afraid that they shall create a new benchmark for what our KSS: Knowledge Sharing Seminars should become. One simply shouldn't miss it!

Then there is an immaculately designed, bespoke KSS for Western UP Ghaziabad Region. The passion that the young team in Ghaziabad is showing is applaudable. The team has been running around and conceptualising to design the perfect KSS for our members in Western UP. I am sure their efforts shall bring success.

I hope to see you at our upcoming events.

More when we meet,

Regards,

Jatin Aggarwal



Chief Editor's Message

Dear Friends.



It is both an honour and pleasure to be the Chief Editor for the IPCA Journal. There has been a change at the helm of affairs wherein our President Mr. Jatin Aggarwal envisions a new legacy for IPCA that will boast of major systematic changes and a flood of activities in the next 2 years. The commendable job by our IPP is being taken forward with further dynamism and vigour with strict timelines and a packed itinerary.

IPCA will strive to do things albeit differently which can be observed with the various communication modules being put in place. IPCA Gleaner being a much awaited communication giving you very relevant and important information in frequent intervals. IPCA A2M communications through E-Media and Social Media have brought about a marked change in the way IPCA Communicates now.

IPCA Journal has always been a very important communication mouthpiece for communication between your association and its members. I as the Editor intend to keep alive the spirit of this Journal and add more pages and content to it in future. I invite quality technical articles for the next issue of the journal when we intend to add more pages.

IPCA Journal provides a golden opportunity to all its members to advertise and promote their products and services. Advertisements are invited for 4 quarterly issues through one year advance payment, on a first cum first serve basis. Should you have any suggestions kindly do share it with us.

Warm Regards & amp; Best Wishes

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IPCA, Annual General Meeting 9th January 2016, New Delhi



The AGM of IPCA Centre was held on the 9th of January at The Russian Culture Centre, New Delhi. This biennial event marks the review of the completed two years, election of the new teams and as a platform for sharing the vision of the new President.

The process was overseen by the President- Mr. Sanjeev Gupta, Vice President- Mr. Jatin Aggarwal, Hon. General Secretary- Mr. Ashwani Mehra, and Hon. Finance Secretary Mr. Sagar Goel. Over 135 members of IPCA attended the event.

The auspicious event started with the lighting of the lamp. The dignitaries did the honours. Hon.

IPCA CENTRAL COMMITTEE 2016-2018

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Finance Secretary Mr. Sagar Goel read out the financial report for the year. The Executive Secretary of IPCA Ms. Ekta Dhingra gave a presentation on the events and achievements in the past two years under the tenure of Mr. Sanjeev Gupta and his team.

Mr. Dilip Raghavan, Editor-Publisher of Paint India delivered the keynote address. He has been associated with IPCA since its inception 12 years ago and has been a part of many delegations abroad and IPCA's Biennials. He spoke about his association with IPCA and appreciating the past activities of the association. He focused on need

of expanding the geographical area of IPCA. It was indeed a thought provoking speech.

Mr. Sanjeev Gupta in his farewell speech spoke about his presidential journey of 2 years and promised his continued association with IPCA.

An impromptu speech highlighting the long journey and contributions of Mr. Sanjeev Gupta to the Association was given by Mr. Jatin Aggarwal. He appreciated that Mr. Sanjeev Gupta's contribution is way beyond his presidential years, and begun right from inception when the association was young. He gave Mr. Gupta a token of appreciation amongstaloud applaud.

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Being one of the last ceremonies, the outgoing President gave awards to regions that has done appreciable work during his tenure. The awardees were: Mr. Pradeep Jain: Maximum Number of New Members, Mr. Rakesh Khandelwal: Maximum Number of New Members, Regional Chairman – Agra Chairman: 100% Dues Collection, Telangana & Andhra Pradesh Region: Percentage New Members made in Region, Ludhiana KSS (2014): Best Event (Assessment of President)

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Hon. Finance Secretary Mr. Sagar Goel Presenting Accounts

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	ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Keynote Speaker Mr. Dilip Raghavan giving his speach

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Mr. Vinod Karwa Chief Election Officer announcing the new teams



IPCA President Mr. Jatin Aggarwal giving his presentation



Mr. Thimma Reddy and Mr. MVN Rao getting award from Mr. Sanjeev Gupta



Mr. Tarun Mittal Getting Award From Mr. Sanjeev Gupta



Lighting Of The Auspicious Lamp



Mrs And Mr. Sanjeev Gupta Getting Award From Mr. Jatin Aggarwal



Mr. Rakesh Khandelwal Getting Award From Mr. Sanjeev Gupta



Mr. Pradeep Jain Getting Award From Mr. Sanjeev Gupta

Mr. Vinod Karwa, the Chief Election Officer and Patron then commenced the official proceedings of the day. He along with the president Mr. Sanjeev Gupta announced the members of new body. The newly appointed members were felicitated, and duly honoured by putting the coveted IPCA Lapel Pin.

applause from the audience.

Mr. Jatin Aggarwal, President IPCA 2016-2018 took centre stage and presented an impressive, inspiring presentation on "What can we do

for IPCA as a Team- What IPCA needs from us?" He shared the current challenges and opportunities that IPCA should be prepared for. He was emphatic about giving strength and powers to the regions and to make changes in the systems that are a hallmark of respected association like IPCA. He emphasised on the long The new team of IPCA 2016-2018 standing principals of IPCA: was announced with a continuous Stewardship, Subsidiarity, Sustainability and Synergy. Reflecting on the activities and follow up event list for the upcoming years, he focused on the sustainability in the graph of

success. He gave a comprehensive plan of events out of which already finishing touches were being given to 3 events. He was pleased to announce the focus of regional projects and on Membership Drive. He informed the audience that IPCA had crossed 1000 Members on that very day.

Ms. Bindu Maira, Life Coach & Healer at SoulCentric enlightened the audience by her talk on integrating Science and Spirituality. She explained importance of meditation and involved a 12 min meditation session for the audience that was really calm and peaceful. She gave instances and scientific proofs that linked Science and Spirituality. The talk ended with interactive Q&As. The Members of the Apex, Central and Regional Committees then gathered together for a group photo session.



Ms. Bindu Maira, Life Coach & Healer



IPCA Central Body Meeting 2016 AGM, 10th FEBRUARY 2016

The members then adjourned for an entertaining night of live music, drinks and dinner. The next morning it was time to get back to work. IPCA organises a unique "Schooling and Training" Class clubbed with a Central Body Meeting. This schooling helps the newly appointed leaders in following guidelines and procedures for smooth functioning of the association. The CBM finalises the programs and events. It was a very interactive meeting and was followed by lunch.



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UP COMING EVENTS OF IPCA

























Save the Date!

We are pleased to inform you that IPCA Western U.P. Ghaziabad Region is organising a Knowledge Sharing Seminar: KSS at Delhi NCR Ghaziabad

on 30th of July, 2016 at Hotel Radisson Blu, Ghaziabad

We look forward to seeing you there!

"Knowledge is most useful when liberated and shared"

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Indian Paint and Coating Association Maharashtra Region AGM



Mr. Jaydeep Nagrecha (Chairman) addressing the audience



Mr. Jatin Aggarwal President IPCA giving his speech and presentation



Mr. Samish Dalal, marketing expert giving his address

Indian Paint and Coating Association Maharashtra Region held its AGM on 21st Jan 2016, at Hotel Sai Palace. The event was held alongside PAINTINDIA`2016 the Biennial Coating show for the industry to which IPCA brings in the largest delegation. The AGM saw an attendance of more than 275 delegates from various spheres of the coating industry.

The evening unfolded with a warm welcome by the Master of Ceremony, followed by the National Anthem. IPCA President Mr. Jatin Aggarwal, the central office bearers and a few dignitaries set the proceedings of the evening rolling by lighting the lamp to seek blessings of Lord Ganesha.

The President, IPCA, Mr. Jatin Aggarwal, started his presentation with a brief introduction of IPCA and its activities. He presented a glimpse about the past activities and the future vision of his team for IPCA for 2016-2018 and beyond. He stressed upon the unique tenets of Stewardship, Subsidiarity, Sustainability and Synergy in operations that have become a hallmark of IPCA. IPCA has planned events throughout the country spread in the next two years. He was emphatic about inclusion and independence of regions in organising events and regular meetings along with the upcoming Knowledge Sharing Seminars (KSS) at IICT, Hyderabad, Ghaziabad and Agra. Besides

taking huge delegations to China Coat 2016 and 2017, plans are being drawn to take a delegation to the Coating Expo Vietnam in 2016. After the presentation of the President of IPCA Mr. Jatin Aggarwal, Mr. Sanjeev Gupta the Immediate Past President announced the new vibrant team for IPCA Maharashtra lead by Mr. Jaydeep Nagrecha (Chairman) Mr. S. Mahadevan (Vice Chairman), Mr. Jesal Parekh (General Secretary) and Mr. Manish Nagrecha (Finance Secretary). Executive members of team are Mr. Amit Parikh, Mr. Jayesh Parekh, Mr. Ketan Kapadia, Mr. Neerav Shah, Mr. Rajiv Parekh and Mr. Shekhar Dawra. Details are appended below:



Mr. Amit Parikh welcoming Mr. Jatin Aggarwal President IPCA



Mr. S. Mahadevan the moderator and MOC of the event

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MAHARASHTRA REGION AGM















Mr. Jaydeep Nagrecha, Chairman of Maharashtra gave a presentation on the vision of Team Maharashtra for the period 2016-2018. Some important points are as follows:

- The Chairman announced the Budget Meet at 6.00 pm on Saturday, 5th March 2016 at Matunga Gujarati Club, Matunga. Mr. S. B. Gabhawala (GST and Indirect Taxes) and Mr. Sunil Kapadia from Ernst & Young (Direct Taxes) will present their views on implications of the Union Budget.
- Membership drive will be undertaken with renewed vigour. The team will try to personally approach all the members of the Maharashtra Region and address their requirements in the least time.
- 3. He also assured that the committee will introduce new and better events that will benefit the members.
- K.S.S. (Knowledge Sharing Seminars) will be held in Mumbai and Pune in 2016 and 2017 respectively.

The highlight of the evening was an engrossing and entertaining lecture by Prof. Samish Dalal, Marketing and Management expert. The topic was "From Today to Tomorrow – Learning the New Rules of the Game of Business" His oratory skills had captivated the entire crowd. The session was enthralling and lively as all the members present could correlate the same with their day to day experiences. He rightly received a standing ovation with people wanting for more.

The evening ended with a sumptuous dinner with members bonding over cocktails.

- 1: The newly elected IPCA Maharashtra Region Office Bearers.
- 2: A panoramic view of the audience.
- 3: Management Expert Mr. Samish Dalal giving his motivational lecture.
- 4: The vast enthralled coating fraternity enjoying the interactive presentation.
- 5: Delegates bonding with each other.
- 6: IPCA Maharashtra Chairman sharing a light hearted moment with IPCA President.



IPCA KNOWLEDGE SHARING SEMINAR IN PARTNERSHIP WITH CSIR- IICT

27th February 2016,

at CSIR INDIAN INSTITUTE OF CHEMICAL

TECHNOLOGY (IICT), TARNAKA, HYDERABAD

A report by Mr. M. V. N. Rao, Secretary, IPCA Telangana-AP Region

Indian Paint and Coating Association, IPCA in partnership with CSIR-IICT, organised a Knowledge Sharing Seminar - Technical Seminar, at the IICT auditorium in Hyderabad, on Saturday, the 27th Feb 2016.

Indian Paint and Coating the press etc. Association, IPCA in partnership with CSIR-IICT, organized a Technical Seminar, at the IICT auditorium in Hyderabad, on Saturday, the 27th Feb 2016. 'KSS' Seminars'

"Water Borne Coatings" and the KSS Coating Technology – a Touch Up'. The event attracted about 80 delegates, from the Institute, the Industry, Government department,

The programme opened with the inaugural ceremony, welcoming the dignitaries to the dais and felicitating them. This was followed by the Welcome address by the stands for 'Knowledge Sharing convenor of the seminar. Mr. M.V.N. Rao. Mr. Rao spoke about IPCA, The Focus of the meet was on their activities and the steep progress they made in a short span event was named as 'Organic after their formation. He emphasized on the fact that such technical seminars, that too in collaboration with the renowned institution like CSIR-IICT are very

rare, and the members should new products MSMEs should work participate fully and take maximum advantage.

IPCA, then spoke about the long distance they have covered in a short span of time. He emphasized in SME's, with a scope beyond mere cost reduction. He said that profits should be a by-product in the products in Product Life Cycle is linked with the Law of Diffusion of

closely with renowned institutes like CSIR-IICT and commercialise Mr. Jatin Aggarwal, the President innovative products. He used the metaphor that the path to the blessings of Goddess of Wealth, Ma Lakshmi is through the devotion on the important role of R&D even and blessings of Goddess Ma Saraswathi. Akin to the industry seeking success through close partnership with the academia. He business and the introduction of also insisted that all should fully participate and derive the maximum advantage from many Innovation. In order to introduce future programs of IPCA.



IPCA President Mr. Jatin Aggarwal giving his speech



IPCA IPP Sanjeev Gupta greeting Mr. MVN Rao



IPCA President Mr. Jatin Aggarwal along with IPCA Telangan-AP Chairman Mr. C. Raja Thimma Reddy



IPCA KSS Delegates group photograph



Mr. MVN Rao, Secretary IPCA Telangana-AP Region



IPCA Telangana-AP Team along with IPCA centre





of IICT delivered his key note Institutions have brought about address.

between the industry and IICT will be beneficial to our coating should become a routine affair for a industries. general growth. According to him, Government of Telangana have Builders Association of India- with great attention and interacted Technology Transfer is the order of recently come out with their Hyderabad Chapter, and has been to learn about the procedure for the day, and such collaboration Industrial policy for the 2015-2020, closely associated with the registration.

startling results. In brief he He said that such interactions mentioned as how IICT in particular

Dr. S. Chandrasekhar, the Director between the Industry and where there are lot of talks for the Telangana Government. promotion of SMEs. The seminar In his lecture he spoke about the being focused on Water Borne tremendous scope available for the Coatings, the organizers of the SME, from the field of Oil and Water event had invited Mr. V. Sudhakar, Based Paints, for the Government who has been the Chairman of the projects. The participant heard him







Dr.S.Rama Mohan

Dr.S.Chandrasekhar

V.Sudhakar

AGM of Telangana-AP Region:

IPCATelangana-AP Region elected the following team for the term 2016-2018

1.Mr. C. Raja Thimma Reddy	Chairman	M/s Icon Paints Pvt. Ltd.		
2.Mr. Deepak Shah	Vice-Chairman	M/s Deepak Paints		
3.Mr. M.V.N. Rao	Secretary	M/s Acepol Chemicals		
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4.Mr. Rakesh	M/s Retina Paints Pvt. Ltd.			

IPCA K.S.S. AT CSIR-IICT



The Organisers were very considerate, and kept in view the general interest of all the SMEs and had invited Mr. D. Chandra Shekhar, the Director of MSME. It is a common belief that the Government either at centre or at the State Level have numerous schemes announced from time to time for the promotion of industries, specially the small and medium scale, but seldom there is any knowledge about such schemes, leave aside making use of them. The IPCA team very rightly found it appropriate for the common benefit of all the participants to invite Mr. D. Chandra Shekhar, who spoke at large about the various schemes in force. He spoke about formation of cluster, incentives on Investment, Taxes, Bank Interest, Power. He also mentioned special subsidy for manufacturing some notified products and subsidy available on foreign travels for business promotion.

The technical session then began and it was opened by a presentation by Mr. Devendra Sharma, DGM Technical R&D, and Mr. Jai Vyas, DGM, Technical Coatings, of M/s Rank Additives Pvt. Ltd. Their lecture covered additives for Wetting and Dispersion, to prevent Settling, Floating, Flooding, to enhance Flow, surface Hardness, Adhesion etc, for Solvent and Water Based Paints. The participants heard the presentation with great intent, interacted with the speakers, shared their problem for suitable solution.

This was followed by a series of lectures by IICT, Hyderabad faculty members.

Dr. S. Rama Mohan, Principal Scientist, from the Technology Transfer Division of IICT.

Dr. S. Rama Mohan explained the various projects on which IICT have worked for the commercialisation and their success. The main aim of IPCA arranging this seminar was also for the Industry to come close to IICT, and learn about the

various fields where this Institution specialises and look into the possibility of getting such projects for business. Dr. S. Rama Mohan's lecture was also centred towards this and made the participants realize the existence of the road unravelled by them.

Dr. T. Shekharam, the Head Polymers and Functional Materials division made a wonderful presentation on the activities of IICT and the various accomplishments of this Division. It was in fact astonishing to hear, how they contemplate a completely new molecule, work on it tirelessly, modify it again and again to be finally make it useful for our application, and finally take it up for commercialisation.

The title selected by Dr. Ramanuj Narayan, was the theme of the seminar itself, 'Organic Coating technology- A Touch Up'. Dr. Ramanuj Narayan is the Principal Scientist in the 'Polymer and Functional Materials Division' In his presentation Dr. Ramanuj covered many Resins and Polymers. He spoke about how the existing coating compositions can be improved and modified to have a very low molecular weight, to formulate an almost solvent less composition. As the legislation is gradually tightening the clamp, he presented his work on many such products.

Both Dr. Shekharam and Dr. Ramanuj were highly appreciative and grateful of Dr. K.V.S.N. Raju, who recently retired as the head of Polymers and functional Materials division and mentioned the progress made by their department during his time.

The technical session came to end with his presentation.

The IPCA team from the Centre, welcomed and honoured the newly elected team of IPCA Telangana- Andhra Pradesh Region, headed by Mr. C. Raja Thimma Reddy, who then proposed the vote of thanks, followed by Dinner.



Mr. D. Chandra Shekhar, The Director of MSME



Dr. T. Shekharam



Dr. Ramanuj Narayan



A deeply engrossed audience mesmerized by the Technical Presentation



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IPCA MAHARASHTRA BUDGET MEET

IPCA MAHARASHTRA BUDGET MEET







Mr. Jatin Aggarwal President IPCA



Mr. Neerav Shah, Convener giving his speech

Indian Economy is one of the fastest growing economies in the World. Perhaps, it still has a long way to go to reach its potential. The Indian Union Budget for the year 2016-17 was presented by Finance Minister Mr. Arun Jaitley, on 29th February`2016. To understand better the finer points and implications of certain new amendments it is imperative that we take into account the views of professional finance persons.

Indian Paint and Coating Association, Maharashtra Region held its Budget Seminar on 05th March 2016, at Matunga Gujarati Club, Mumbai. This event was jointly hosted with the Indian Resins Manufacturers Association. The Seminar saw an attendance of more than 125 delegates from various spheres of the coating industry.

The seminar commenced with the Convenor, Mr. Neerav Shah welcoming all the delegates. Mr. Jaydeep Nagrecha, Chairman, Maharashtra Region, IPCA President Mr. Jatin Aggarwal and Mr. Bhupendra Sakaria, President IRMA said a few words on the current financial and market situations.

The lectures and presentations were focused on financial aspects. The main lectures were related to direct and indirect taxes and were given by experts in their fields. It was heartening to see a very interactive seminar and many questions being asked by the knowledgable audience from the learned speakers. Needless to say, it added to the knowledge of everyone. IPCA believes in: "Knowledge is most useful when liberated and shared". The KSS: "Knowledge Sharing Seminars" are aimed at facilitating such disbursement of knowledge at a reasonable cost to our members and fraternity.

Mr. Nimesh Vora, a Director with Ernst & Young gave his views on the implications of the budget for direct taxes.

 $\label{lem:conding} According to him the following were the highlights of the budget.$

a. Focus on Agriculture and farmers welfare.



Mr. Nimesh Vora, Director with Ernst & Young sharing views on direct taxes

- b. Emphasis on Rural employment and infrastructure.
- c. To cover everybody under welfare and health services.
- d. Make India a Knowledge based and productive society.
- e. Enhance efficiency and quality of life by infrastructure and investments.
- f. To bring transparency and stability.
- g. Governance and ease of doing business.
- h. Prudent management of Government finances and delivery of benefits to the needy.
- i. Reduce compliance burden with faith in citizenery.

There was no major change in the direct tax rate but the government has introduced some schemes which will benefit small businesses and also new entrants in the industrial sectors. The benefits may seem very small in percentages but their implications are very positive.

The most negative act was introduction of tax on withdrawal of EPF. But fortunately there are very strong indications that it will be withdrawn and modified. According to him the budget was very progressive. If the government is able to do most of the things in their agenda then it will be great for the future.

An important explanation that perhaps is an attractive incentive for us is the incentive deduction under section 80JJAA which has now been opened to all establishments covered under section 44AB. We can employ more people and take tax benefits from it. It shall make a shift from contractual labour to permanent one.

The second lecture was by Mr. Sunil Gabhawalla, a renowned expert on indirect taxes. He is also a leading authority on GST. His presentation was on Service Tax, Cenvat, Sectoral Impact, Excise Duty, Sales Tax and GST.



Mr. Sunil Gabhawalla,
A renowned expert on indirect taxes



IPCA MAHARASHTRA BUDGET MEET

IPCA MAHARASHTRA BUDGET MEET

He shared the "Nine Pillars" of Tax Proposals:

- Relief to small tax payers.
- Measures to boost growth and employment generation.
- Incentivising domestic value addition to help Make in India.
- Measures for moving towards a pensioned society.
- Measures for promoting affordable housing.
- Additional resource mobilisation for agriculture, rural economy and clean environment.
- Reducing litigation and providing certainty in taxation.
- Simplification and rationalisation of taxation.
- Use of Technology for creating accountability





In Service Tax, Govt., has introduced 0.5% Krishi Kalyan Cess (KKC) so effective service tax applicable on all the services will now come to 15%. This is effective from 1st June`2016. Also surprisingly for KKC credit is available but for Swacch Bharat Tax (SBC) credit is not available.

For Cenvat there are no changes in the rates but some procedural reliefs are provided. Capital goods of upto Rs: 10000.00 per piece are considered as inputs and capital goods need to be used within 2 years from date of installation.

Central Excise Duty rates remain the same but Revised Return Facility introduced. Excise invoices (Transporters Copy) can be digitally signed.

Sales Tax was not touched as GST is surely on the way.

For GST there are still many steps to go before the final implementation but most of the infrastructure is ready. System development contract has been awarded to Infosys. The draft GST law is available on public domain. He stressed on the fact that the GST is not going to as simple as we are expecting. It will be quite complicated and also the statutory and compliance requirements are going to high and time bound. But the end result will be highly beneficial for the Indian economy and industry.

Mr. Gabhawala was also very positive on the intentions of the government. He stresses that even though this budget was not game changing but it was a huge step in the right direction.

Both the lectures were highly interactive and the delegates had a lot of specific questions. The experts were keen to share their knowledge and the delegates milked a lot of information.

After Mr. Siddharth Shah, Secretary of IRMA gave Vote of Thanks, the discussions continued over dinner.

We are pleased to inform you that we are perhaps the first association to commence live broadcast of our K.S.S. Seminars. We now have a dedicated youtube channel that shall be used for live seminar feeds, webinars and as our channel for IPCA K.S.S. Seminars.

For the presentations during budget seminar visit: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCT-v2wha43vbqzFwBsPC79w (or search Indian Paint and Coating Association in YOUTUBE).

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RECENT EVENTS OF IPCA









As a CSR Activity few Central Body Members took a trip to Vrindavan to serve the needy widows. A self financed voluntary activity done by these members was undertaken to provide food, clothing, slippers, money and soaps to the 100 widows.







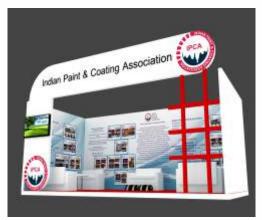


Eastern UP Agra Region HOLI Celebrations

Our Senior Leaders at Agra Region have always given Holi Celebrations a special place in their hearts, and every year celebrations take place with lot of joy and verve in the iconic city of Taj Mahal. The enthusiasm of the members and their families reaches its peak and matches with the nature which is in full bounty at the time of Holi.

It is this camaraderie, love, joy and brotherhood that exemplifies the love in our regions.

God Bless you all!



Stall of IPCA during PaintIndia 2016



Very Active stall during PaintIndia



Members and Visitors interacting during PaintIndia at IPCA Stall.



MP & CG REGION TECHNICAL WORKSHOP

Madhya Pradesh and Chhattisgarh Region Technical Workshop

Indian Paint & Coating Association's Madhya Pradesh and Chhattisgarh Region held a focused Technical Workshop at Indore on 30th of April, 2016 at Hotel Fortune Landmark, Indore. The event was organized by the Madhya Pradesh & Chhattisgarh Region by its Chairman, Mr. Sanjay Gupta of M/s. Yohana Paints and Past Chairman and Platinum Sponsor of the event, Mr. Gyanesh Gangwar of M/s. J. J. Associates. The event was attended by 75 Paint Companies.

The program started with Mr. Sanjeev Gupta, Immediate Past President & Patron of IPCA inviting the team from Solvay along with Past Chairman, Mr. Gyanesh Gangwar who was also main Sponsor of the Event through his company M/s. J. J. Associates along with Mr. Jatin Aggarwal, President IPCA, Mr. Sanjay Gupta, Chairman, IPCA MP & CG Region and Mr. Harish Agarwal, Past President & Patron, IPCA. After lighting of the lamp, Mr. Jatin Aggarwal gave his addressed the audience and informed the members of MP&CG Region that IPCA was committed to bring quality speakers to MP&CG Region and there shall be another Seminar planned very soon in MP&CG Region and most likely, it shall be clubbed with MP&CG Region AGM.

Presentations were made by M/s. Solvay and M/s. Sun Shield Chemicals Ltd. Solvay through its Marketing Manager - Coating Mr. Kedarnath Tripathy and Mr. Pankesh Thorat, Technical Specialist - Coatings, introduced its vast product range for paints & coatings including their specialised and popular raw materials for making emulsions and specialty universal colorants. Mr. Tripathy went into details of the current expertise of Solvay through their various plants in India and explained each product line and its benefits and use in coatings. It was a very interactive session since he shared a lot of formulations and explained in detail the benefits of using products such as Freeze Thaw Additives like Rhodoline FT-100 that ensure the stability of the latex in weather wherein there are extremes of low temperatures. Small addition of Freeze Thaw Additives goes a long way in improving the gloss and stability of water based paint. He introduced open time additives that extend the open time i.e. the interval that paint remains wet and workable before it begins to set. Such an additive also reduces brush clogging and keeps

the brush soft after painting. At the end, he introduced the vast range of Defoamers used in water based paints and introduced the range of Wetting Agents and Coalescing Agents and APEO free Ethoxylates. There were lot of questions from the audience relating to additives for making universal colorants that can be used both in water based and Alkyds systems. The session was chaired by Mr. Harish Agrawal, Past President & Patron of Indian Paint & Coating Association.

It was followed by a speech by Mr. Harish Agrawal who through his technical expertise on the subject explained the importance of various additives and emphasized the importance of the presentations given by the two Presenters for the day. Mr. Sanjeev Gupta and Mr. Gyanesh Gangwar shared their thoughts on the importance of that extra small percentage of additives or efforts, that make a vast difference in the result of a quality perception of the company or a product line.

The Chair acknowledged and thanked for the efforts made by the members of MP&CG Region including Mr. Gyanesh Gangwar and Mr. Sanjay Gupta for organizing the event.

The program concluded with a very lively and entertaining musical performance by Mr. Prince and his group. It was heartening to see a lot of members volunteer to sing songs and entertain the audience in their beautiful and melodious voices. Mr. Satish Goyal and Mr. Santosh S. Wagle our surprise singers for the day along with many other members entertained the audience and involved everybody in the beautiful musical program. The program ended with Mr. Sanjay Gupta presenting a Token of Thanks to the Dignitaries from IPCA and from Solvay and appreciated Mr. Gyanesh Gangwar of M/s. J. J. Associates for their sponsorship followed by Drinks & Dinner.



View of the Audience



Lighting of the Lamp by Mr. Harish Agrawal



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Marketing Manager Solvay, Coating Mr. Kedarnath Tripathy giving his presentation



Mr. Pankesh Thorat, Technical Specialist -Coatings Solvay giving his presentation







"Smart Bombs, Smart Cities, Smartphones, Smart Citizens and now Smart Associations." Apart from assimilating in largest numbers on LinkedIn, getting viral Facebook hits, a young Youtube page and a dynamic website, we have not yet summited the everest to put and rest our waving flag in the field of A2M (Association to Member Communications). IPCA E-Mailers are sent almost every fortnight now sharing updates with members. A new email communication initiative is IPCA Gleaner that delivers relevant information to the inbox of our members that relates to legal, taxation and general industry updates. Gleaner: Someone who gathers something in small pieces (e.g. information) slowly and carefully. IPCA Journals will soon get a digital makeover and perhaps we will step into Webinars.

There is a lot to accomplish to be relevant and to drop right into the hands of our members, at their own will and convenience. For this Association to Member communications and interactions have to rejuvenate with a Synergy of Social Media. IPCA Is at the forefront of A2M and has the following communications through various Media.

- 1. Website at www.ipcaonline.com The transparent, informative and interactive website of IPCA contains past issues of IPCA Journal, complete database of Governing Bodies, Reports on past events, Membership data, details of upcoming events, new membership related information and other association related matters. The website of your Association gives you a unique ability of updating your membership contact details yourself.
- 2. IPCA Journal Indian Paint and Coating Association publishes its Quarterly Journal throughout the year which is very popular amongst our members. The Journal is sent by post, emails and is also available for download on our website. Its a Keeper!
- 3. IPCA Gleaner is an initiative of the Indian Paint and Coating Association to deliver relevant information to our members that relates to legal, taxation and general industry updates. GLEANER: Someone who gathers something in small pieces (e.g. information) slowly and carefully. IPCA Gleaner is sent by emails to all members periodically.
- 4. IPCA E-Mailers keep you abreast of the latest activities of your dynamic and hardworking association. They inform you about the recent activities and flags the upcoming events.
- 5. IPCA C2R Communiques The President has to reach out and interact with his team of stalwarts and leaders to ascertain unidirectional efforts for the service of IPCA members and the coating fraternity. IPCA C2R Communiques is a private circulation communication between the Centre and the Region C2R that revisits the things to do list and shares strategic information amongst IPCA Governing bodies.

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The IPCA Journal is beautifully designed premium newsletter that is printed on quality paper in 4 color printing. The newsletter is having wide circulation to our 1150+ member and over 1000 more key people and decision makers, technocrats, academia and other members of fraternity. It has excellent readership online as well.

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The Law of Association

You become like the 5 people you spend the most time with!

I have been a pretty vocal advocate of the "The Law of Association". Right from Aristotle to Robin Sharma have stressed upon the importance of knowing this law for growth. We are only as good as the people we surround ourselves with. Lets see what it professes.

To create world class results you absolutely must spend time with people whose lives you want to be living. Science has proven that "Mindsets & Emotions are Contagious". If you hang out with energy vampires, B or C Players, people resigning themselves to mediocrity, you start thinking, feeling, behaving, operating and producing just like them. But when you make the choice to associate with "Elite Performers" those who are living world class lives, have risen to the 0.01% Financially, are Super Healthy and are seriously good human beings....their way of thinking, doing and performing start to "Unconsciously become your ways".

The Law of Association also ensures that:

- #1. Your income generally is the median income of the 10 people you spend most of your time with.
- #2. Your levels of motivation will look A LOT like the motivation of the people in your social circle.
- #3. Your ability to execute on your goals and deliver results on your dreams will be a lot like the execution intelligence of your friends and associates.
- #4. Your lifestyle will reflect the lifestyles o the people who populate your life.
- #5. And your overall beliefs and happiness levels are definitely a mirror of the beliefs of those you associate with most of the time.



So my strong encouragement is to take a good hard look at who you associate with. Starting today, my strong and respectful encouragement is that you have the guts to clean out associations that are toxic, limiting and demotivating...

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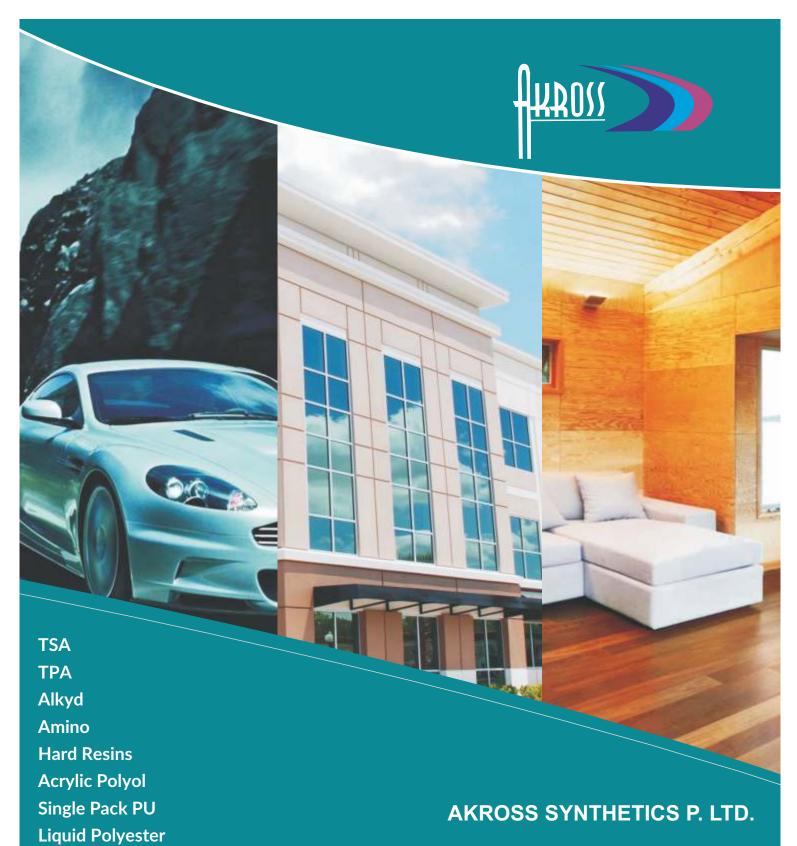
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